

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

I believe I am the original, sole and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled : "HIGH SENSITIVITY QUANTITATION OF PEPTIDES BY MASS SPECTROMETRY", the specification of which is attached hereto.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37 CFR 1.56(a).

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 120 of any United States Application(s) listed below:

Provisional Patent Application 60/415,499 filed 10/3/2002
Provisional Patent Application 60/420,613 filed 10/23/2002
Provisional Patent Application 60/449,190 filed 2/20/2003
Provisional Patent Application 60/496,037 filed 8/18/2003

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I hereby further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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